

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An optical pickup device includes a frame F in which an integrated optical unit equipped with a semiconductor laser diode is incorporated and

5 a flexible substrate F having a short-circuit wiring pathway connecting two connectors and a driving circuit. The short-circuit wiring pathway is connected to the integrated optical unit and the driving circuit at a minimum distance through the connector in such

10 a manner that the flexible substrate F is incorporated so as to be wound along the frame F. Consequently, recording processing and the like can be stably performed.